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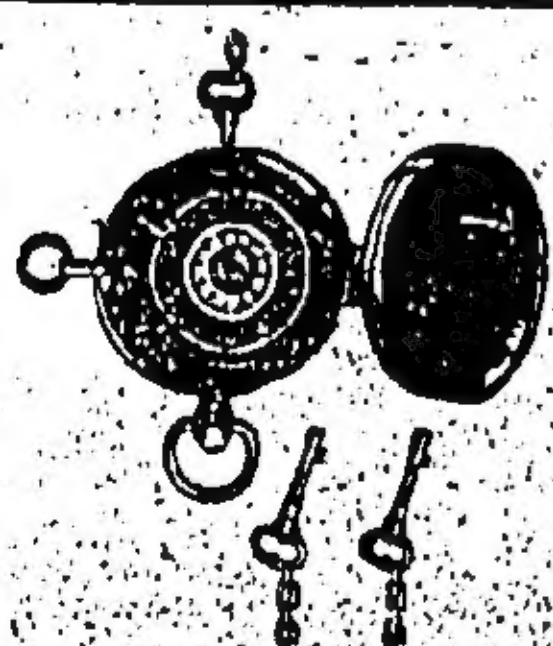
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The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company, will be CLOSED from Thursday, the 1st February 1923 until Saturday, the 10th February, 1923, both days inclusive.

SHEWAN, TOMES & CO.,
General Managers.
Hongkong, January 26, 1923.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the ORDINARY ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS in this COMPANY will be held at the Hongkong Hotel, Hongkong, on SATURDAY, the 10th Feb., 1923, at 11.30 a.m. for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors together with a Statement of Accounts for the year ending 31st December 1922.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be closed from the 5th February to the 12th February (both days inclusive), during which period no transfer of Shares can be registered.

JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON,
General Managers.

Hongkong, January 24, 1923.

THE HONGKONG, CANTON & MACAO STEAMBOAT CO., LTD.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE ONE HUNDRED AND THIRD ORDINARY MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS in the Company will be held at the Office of the Company, 4, Des Vieux Road, on TUESDAY, 13th February, 1923, at 12 o'clock Noon, for the purpose of receiving a Report of the Directors, together with a Statement of Accounts, declaring a Dividend and electing Directors and Auditors.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from Monday, 29th January, to Tuesday, 13th February, both days inclusive, during which period no transfer of shares can be registered.

By Order of the Board of Directors.

JOHN ARNOLD,
Secretary.

Hongkong, January 13, 1923.

THE KOWLOON LAND AND BUILDING CO., LTD.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the THIRTY-FOURTH ORDINARY MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS in this Company will be held at the Company's Office, Victoria Buildings, on TUESDAY, 13th February, 1923, at 11.30 o'clock a.m. for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors together with the Statement of Accounts for the year ending 31st December 1922.

The REGISTER of SHARES of the Company will be CLOSED from MONDAY, 5th February to TUESDAY, 13th February both days inclusive during which period no transfer of shares can be registered.

By Order of the Board of Directors.

MCWBRAY S. NORTHCOTE,
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The C. M. S. "China" will arrive at this port at 7 a.m. on Wednesday Jan. 31 and will be despatched for San Francisco via Shanghai, Nagasaki, Yokohama and Honolulu at 10 a.m. on Tuesday Feb. 6.

The B. F. S. "Arcturion" left Liverpool on Jan. 9 for Hongkong, Shanghai, Kobe and Yokohama and is due here on or about February 8.

The N. Y. K. S. "Gonosu Maru" (Liverpool Line) left Singapore for Hongkong on Jan. 9 for Hongkong, Shanghai, Kobe and Yokohama and is due here on or about February 8.

The C. P. S. R. M. S. "Empress of Australia" arrived at Yokohama on Feb. 1 at 2 min. left Yokohama on Feb. 2 at 8 a.m. and is due at Hongkong on Feb. 8 at 4 a.m.

The P. M. S. "President Cleveland" sails for San Francisco via Shanghai, Kobe, Yokohama and Honolulu on Jan. 23 and arrives at San Francisco on Feb. 12.

The J. L. S. "City of Rangoon" left Suva on Jan. 19 and is due to arrive at Hongkong on Feb. 13.

The N. Y. K. S. "Tango Maru" (Australian Line) left Sydney for Hongkong via ports on Jan. 25 and is expected here on Feb. 14.

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The D. W. S. "Dorset Castle Line" left London on Jan. 28 and is expected here on Feb. 18.

The B. F. S. "Agamemnon" left Liverpool on Jan. 13 for Penang, Port Swettenham, Singapore, Hongkong, Shanghai, Kobe and Yokohama and is due here on or about Feb. 21.

The P. M. S. "President Pierce" leaves Hongkong for San Francisco via Shanghai, Kobe, Yokohama and Honolulu on Jan. 31 and arrives at San Francisco on Feb. 22.

The B. F. S. "Kureba" left Liverpool on Jan. 30 for Penang, Port Swettenham, Singapore, Hongkong, Shanghai, Kobe and Yokohama and is due here on or about March 2.

The P. M. S. "President Wilson" sailed from San Francisco Jan. 1 with a full complement of passengers and cargo. She is due here tomorrow and sails for Manila on Feb. 6 arriving at that port on Feb. 7. She leaves Hongkong for San Francisco via Shanghai, Kobe, Yokohama and Honolulu on Feb. 14 and arrives at San Francisco on Mar. 8.

The B. F. S. "Daedalus" left Liverpool on Jan. 27 for Penang, Port Swettenham, Singapore, Hongkong, Kobe and Yokohama and is due here on or about Mar. 10.

The D. W. S. "Dorset Castle Line" left London on Jan. 11 and is expected in Hongkong on March 17.

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CHINA'S 1913 LOAN COUPONS.

YOKOHAMA BANK'S ACTION.

PEKING, February 2.

The North China Standard states that the Yokohama Bank has sent a note to the Chinese Government demanding settlement of its account relative to the payment of coupons in connection with the 1913 reorganization loan and announcing the seizure of portion of the Salt Gabelle placed in the Bank's custody in case China should fail to settle the account.

The Chinese Government replied to the Bank refusing the Bank's point and proposing a postponement of the settlement. —Reuter.

SNARED BY SNARE.

SUGARCANE FARMER'S REVOLVER.

Ho Kam-hon, described on the charge sheet as a sugarcane farmer of Sanwan village, Punli, was this morning fined \$50 or two months' jail by the Marine Magistrate (Commander C. W. Beckwith, R.N.) for having, for the purpose of preventing seizure, thrown certain articles into the harbour.

Lance Sergeant Snare said that at about 11.30 p.m., yesterday while he was searching junk in Yaumati Bay, he came across three men sitting on the deck of a rice junk at anchor in the bay. As soon as the men saw him, they were approaching they scattered and ran on to other junks which were lying alongside. The witness immediately boarded the junk and seized the defendant. Witness wanted to search defendant but the man, who had his right hand in his overcoat pocket, resisted. Witness felt something hard, there and made out the barrel of a revolver. In the struggle which followed for possession of the weapon, defendant succeeded in getting his hand out of his pocket and dropped the revolver into the harbour.

Defendant said that it was not a revolver but a parcel containing 95 cents worth of Government opium.

Magistrate: Then why did you throw it overboard? —Because I was a new comer and did not know the regulations. I had just arrived from Tamchau with a cargo of sugarcane.

How do you know it was Government opium? —Because I bought it openly in the street at Yaumati.

The Magistrate then convicted.

CHINESE YOUTH AND LANGUAGE.

(BY A CHINESE YOUNG MAN.)

It would be strange, if an educated Englishman could not read and write in the English language. But there is no novelty in finding that there are a good many Chinese youths who can only speak and write in a foreign language, particularly English, without the slightest idea about that written language which is the key to the long-lived civilization of China. They cannot do much good for their mother country, unless they understand her; they cannot really understand her, unless they are first of all acquainted with her language.

Surely, Chinese is a language very hard to master, but a few summers will enable a strong-willed student to have a fair amount of knowledge of it. It is now very encouraging to see that there are in Hongkong and Singapore many grown Chinese beginning to learn their mother tongue, but one nearly faints the other day, when one heard a "Chinese" student attacking his fellow students by attaching too much importance to the standard of English without due regard to the value of the language, of which he himself is ignorant, but without the knowledge of which, one would cease to be a Chinese student.

Two years ago, an important educational officer of Hongkong in his lecture at a meeting of the Education Society of the University of Hongkong, asserted that English and Chinese are equally emphasized in schools of Hongkong, because, however good his foreign education may be, a Chinese student cannot be a pioneer of Young China without a good knowledge of his own language and consequently his own civilization. The truth of the statement is unquestionable, and to end my writing, I only wish to say to my overseas Chinese brothers, "Do send your young brothers and dear children to Chinese schools for a few years, and if you yourselves are not quite familiar with the picturesque language of China, do have some spare time devoted to the cultivation of it."

HONGKONG TRADE.

CANTON CHAOS STOPS CLEARANCE.

The fortnightly trade report of the Hongkong General Chamber of Commerce states:—

Cotton Piece Goods and Fancy Cotton Goods:—Very little business has been done during the interval, and prospects are very uncertain owing to the chaotic state of affairs in Canton. The Manchester market keeps steady. Local values are unchanged. Clearances are very poor.

Cotton Yarn:—There is no change in the situation of our market. Dealers are only buying for the Yunnan district, in small quantities and for their immediate requirements, there being no demand from other consuming districts.

Quotations are:—No. 10s. \$170/107, No. 12s. \$175/108, No. 16s. \$190/210, No. 20s. \$178/207. Arrivals nil. Shipments nil. Sales 1,500 bales. Unsold stock 9,500 bales. Bargains 8,000 bales.

Woolens:—The continuance of the trouble in Canton and the approach of the Chinese New Year has had a quietening effect on the market. A little business is being done.

Raw Cottons:—Stocks are nil. Nominal quotations are as follows: Indian descriptions at \$34/39, Chinese staple at \$36/42.

Metals:—Business has been quiet with very little enquiry. The disturbances in Canton have put a stop to clearances. Continental makers are diffident in making quotations, and it looks as if supplies will be difficult to obtain for some time. Small sales of Steel Plates 3/16 inch, and up are reported at \$5 per picul.

Flour Market Report:—Stocks: About 300,000 sacks. Quotations: American Patent, \$3.90 per sack; American Straight, \$3.15 per sack; American Cut-off, \$3.15 per sack; Shanghai Flour, \$3.25 per sack; Australian No. 1, \$3.25 per sack.

Window Glass:—Market steady. Sugar:—Market very quiet. Saltpetre:—Dull without much doing.

ANOTHER "ADVISER."

"MORE LIKE A SERGEANT MAJOR."

Another "Adviser" of General Lan Tsun-wan's Kwangsi army was charged this morning with illegal possession of one revolver and a bandolier full of cartridges.

Det. Sub-Inspector Fallon, who had charge of the case said that defendant was struggling with a party of searchers a few minutes before the "Heungshan" left for Canton.

A Chinese describing himself as commander of the "Western Circuit" of the Kwangsi Army gave evidence as to the bona fides of defendant's claim to be a Chinese army officer.

His Worship (Mr. Lindsell): What business had you to be in Hongkong when people were fighting in Canton? Witness: I have been sick for a long time and come down for reasons of health.

Asked as to defendant's rank, witness said that he was a lieutenant.

The Magistrate: He looks more like a Sergeant Major.

His Worship told witness that he would be doing a great service to his army if he would inform officers that they must leave their arms behind when they came to Hongkong.

A fine of \$150 was imposed.

"WORSE THAN JAIL."

SEAMAN WHO DIDN'T LIKE SINGAPORE.

James Clarence Moore, described as of American nationality, was charged before Mr. R. E. Lindsell this morning with having stowed away on the a.s. "Torilla" from Singapore.

He told the Magistrate that he was a mercantile seaman, was paid off in Singapore and went into hospital for two weeks. After that he was admitted into the Sailors' Home, which he disliked more than jail on account of the fly and ant pests. He had seen the Consul in Singapore but was not able to get a passage home, although he had the money, because of certain requirements regarding identification papers. For these reasons he stowed away to Hongkong.

His Worship said that defendant had cheated the Company of a passage. What happened at Singapore concerned the Consul and him. He had no right to stow away and would be fined \$25 or 14 days' imprisonment.

Mr. J. Balton, of Queen's College, was the victim of an important theft in Lyndhurst Terrace near Pottinger Street at about 1.50 p.m. yesterday. He was walking with Mr. G. Fletcher, when he noticed that a gold watch with a white fob and pendant worth \$20 and \$40 in notes were missing from his waistcoat pocket.

CANTON'S MUSHROOM GENERALS.

MANY IN WHAMPOA.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

CANTON, Feb. 2.

The last has not been heard of the mythical generals who sprang up in Canton after Chen's flight. Alarmed by the attitude of the Kwangsi-ites, they disappeared. Now about fifty of these self-styled "commanders-in-chief" are established in Whampoa the headquarters of most of them consisting of a small commandeered house, a temporary signboard and a few bodyguards.

Trade is still stagnant, and the notes have depreciated further. A \$1 note now only fetches 7 copper cents. It has been reported that bandits will soon be called for the gambling monopolies.

WOMAN'S RASH ACT.

INDIAN CONSTABLE'S RESCUE.

Connaught Road West, Sheklong, was the scene of an attempted suicide at about one o'clock last night, when a consumptive, 27 years of age, tried to take her own life by jumping into the harbour. An Indian constable who was on duty in the neighbourhood and heard her amsh's cries for help jumped in fully clothed and rescued the woman, who had been kept aloft by a kind of overcoat she was wearing at the time. She was semi-conscious at the time and a European, said to be from the Gas Company applied artificial respiration with success. The constable lost his police cap when saving the woman.

According to the report, the consumptive lives at 45, Tai Yuen Street. From what has been gathered it appears that the unfortunate woman went down to West Point to upbraid her husband and in the heat of the moment committed the rash act.

BUFFLING THE BURGLAR.

NEW ALARMS TESTED.

In the presence of the Hon. Mr. E. R. Hallifax O.B.E., Secretary for Chinese Affairs, Mr. E. D. O. Wolfe, the C.S.P., members of the committee, Chinese Chamber of Commerce and others, tests of the recently installed burglar alarms were carried out at three Chinese banks on Queen's Road Central opposite the old Fire Station. The alarms are connected to the Central Police Station, each block having a special indicator. When the bell in the premises is pushed the indicator in the Station will automatically give the alarm. This morning, two strong contingents of uniformed and plain clothes police were sent out in response to the alarms, arriving in both instances in six minutes, which was considered very efficient.

COLONY'S FINANCES.

FIGURES FOR OCTOBER.

The Colony's financial statement for the month of October last year is as follows:—

REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE.

Balance of Assets and

Liabilities September 30

1922 \$10,536,783.49

Revenue from October:

1 to 3, 1922..... 2,093,753.24

\$ 10,741,851.44

Expenditure from

October 1 to 31,

1922 1,798,635.29

Balance..... \$ 10,741,851.44

A comparative statement of the

Colony's revenue and expenditure for

the period ended October 31, last year,

gives the following totals under the

revenue head:—

Estimates, 1923, \$17,276,250; revenue from October 1 to 31, \$2,093,753.24; revenue for the corresponding period the previous year, \$1,854,751.37; actual revenue to October 31, last year, \$18,593,669.01; and revenue for corresponding period the previous year, \$14,217,653.84.

Under the expenditure head the statement gives the following totals:—

Estimates 1923, \$20, 198,980; expenditure from October 1 to 31, \$1,798,635.29 expenditure for corresponding period the previous year, \$1,491,539.10 actual expenditure to June 30, last year, \$14,190,568.42 and expenditure for corresponding period the previous year, \$11,718,362.81.

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ST. STEPHEN'S GIRLS' COLLEGE. ANNUAL PRIZE DISTRIBUTION.

The annual prize distribution of St. Stephen's Girls' College was held in the Great Hall of the Hongkong University yesterday afternoon. H.E. the Governor gave away the prizes, and he was supported on the platform by Lady Brunsford, Sir Robert Ho Tung, and the Bishop of Victoria (the Rt. Rev. O. R. Duggan). Amongst those also present were the Rev. Copley Maylo, the Hon. Mr. Irving, the Rev. J. T. Holman and Lady Ho Tung.

REPORT OF HEADMISTRESS.
The Headmistress (Miss Taylor), in the course of her annual report, remarked that the large gathering entertained there that afternoon had only been made possible by the kindness of the Vice-Chancellor of the University in placing the Great Hall at their disposal. It would doubtless seem rather strange that so few of those members of the staff who had successfully organized and carried on the work of the College during the year were present with them that day, and their things would especially fly to Miss Middleton Smith, who was now enjoying a well earned rest and whom they hoped to have back with them at the end of the year. Also to Miss Atkins who had been urgently needed at Canton, and Miss Hazland who had been ill. They hoped she would make a speedy recovery and be back with them before so very long. Miss Taylor also touched on the loyalty and unity shown by both the Chinese and European staffs during the year, and said it had done much towards their success. The numbers of scholars had greatly increased, and they now had a waiting list for both day girls and boarders. "It was a pity that the new buildings would not provide greater accommodation, but the reason for this was that there was still a wing to be built which could not be proceeded with for lack of funds. This in spite of the efforts of the Building Committee, Sir Robert Ho Tung, Mr. Ho Wing, and Mr. To. The College owed a deep debt to these gentlemen for the trouble they had taken in raising the magnificent figure of \$70,000.

The examination results during the year had been most gratifying. Five scholars were presented for the Junior Locals, and all had passed. Two out of three had passed for the Senior Locals, and all four of their matriculation students were successful, and had entered the University. Two had decided to take Medicine, one had taken up the subject of Education, and one had decided to study Engineering. Three of these students were in residence at the University Hostel run in connection with the College. The opening of this Hostel had been one of the most important events of the year. At present they were in temporary residence, but they looked forward to the time when more adequate arrangements would be made for the women undergraduates of the University. The higher education of women meant much to the Colony, and to China itself. The other outstanding event of the year was the presentation of an address to the Prince of Wales when he laid the foundation stone of the new buildings. His Royal Highness had accepted a photograph of three students who made the presentation. A good deal that they had hoped to do in the way of games and physical exercises, they had had to leave undone owing to the distance away from the school of the playground. No doubt, however, this part of the school life would be all that they could desire once they got settled down in their new premises. The social side of the school life had not been neglected. The girls had contributed liberally to the school stall at the M.L.S. sale recently. A monthly collection was made to assist the children of St. Hilda's School at Canton, and they were responsible for the upkeep of a bed at the Pabkoi Hospital for Lepers.

In conclusion, Miss Taylor said that all their activities in the way of work and play and social life would be as nothing without the development of the spiritual life, which, after all, was the basis of true character building. It was their daily endeavour to

practice love and kindness towards one another, and in this they were helped by morning and evening Bible instruction, attendance at Church, and their Sunday School.

THE BISHOP'S ADDRESS.
The Bishop in the course of an interesting address said that he was pleased to say, girl and woman students had been admitted to the University—(Applause). Of the five girls who passed the Matriculation examination four of them were students of St. Stephen's Girls' College—(Applause). Personally he would like to see another hostel like St. John's started for girls, distinct from but yet with a close relationship to St. Stephen's and hoped that the time would come when it would be possible to provide one. As Chairman of the College Council the Bishop expressed appreciation of the presence of His Excellency the Governor. His Excellency took a keen personal interest in all that concerned the educational well being of the Colony, and they were thankful too for the keen personal interest that Lady Stubbs took in that school. The Bishop commented on the great educational advances made in the Colony during the last few years, and on the generous assistance the Government had always been willing and ready to render.

Speaking of the new College building, the Bishop said that the old building was quite inadequate. They were now well on with the new building, but the original plans had had to be very considerably curtailed owing to the increase in the price. He hoped that they would not be content to see the plans finally curtailed. As to equipment, there was practically none in the old school because there had been no room for it, but in the new building they were hopeful of starting with adequate equipment. At the present time no provision had been made, but he understood Miss Taylor had a list of needs which he was hoping would very soon be met. Dealing with the question of the staff, the Bishop pointed out that of the Europeans on the teaching staff at the present time not one of them was there a year ago. The Bishop congratulated Miss Taylor on the excellent results of the year's work and expressed the hope that at a not very distant date she would have an adequate number of assistants. He wished good luck to the College as it entered on a new phase of its history in the new building—(Applause).

HIS EXCELLENCY'S REMARKS.
Prior to distributing the awards, His Excellency the Governor, made a short address, during the course of which he said he felt he had a rather close association with St. Stephen's College. In the first place his younger son was at one time a pupil of Miss Middleton Smith and seemed to have enjoyed his life there very thoroughly. Incidentally he noticed from the report that Miss Middleton Smith "was enjoying a much needed rest." He was very glad to hear it, because when he happened to meet her twice in England he found she was devoting her time to organising meetings on behalf of the Church Missionary Society and the Diocese of Victoria. Another association he had with St. Stephen's was that it was the first place at which he presented prizes after his arrival in Hongkong. On that occasion he remembered expressing the hope that they would soon see some of the girls of the College matriculating at the University, and he was very glad to learn that his suggestion had been adopted so quickly—(Applause). "The great need of China at the present time," His Excellency continued, "is, of course, education. I think the women of China have better opportunities than the women of any other nation have ever had, because they start on fair terms with the men so far as Western education is concerned. In Europe they have lagged behind, because, I suppose, the men, at any rate up to the present, have been able to protect their own interests, but they are now beginning to open the male sex from their stronghold of the past. In the case of China the two sexes start very much on a level so far as Western education is concerned, and I am sure the ladies will make the best of their opportunities." His Excellency was glad to see that so many were taking up the study of medicine, for the reason

MUL-TAI ABOLITION. CHURCH MAGAZINE'S COMMENT.

The introduction by the Government of a bill for the abolition of the Mul-tai System in the Colony is a step which will be warmly welcomed, says St. John's Cathedral Church Notes, by those who have taken the trouble to find out anything of the working of the system, and the passing of the bill will be a step towards removing an ugly blot from the fame of this Colony. Of course there will be some opposition. It is very convenient to have servant girls, who cannot leave when they wish, and naturally the maintainers of the old order will try to retain the old system. But Government may count on the support of all the best elements both amongst the Chinese and Europeans in their determination to put an end to the odious system.

Some of our readers will recollect that in March, 1920, the Rev. H. R. Wells gave an address to the Church of England Men's Society on the subject of Chinese Girl Slaves, and that after the meeting a resolution was passed unanimously, to the effect that "this meeting desires to press on the Government the advisability of registering all cases of girl adoption with a view to the ultimate abolition of the condition of girl slavery." We rejoice to see that all these girls are now to be registered and that the system is no longer to be tolerated in the Colony.

HONGKONG BANK NOTES.

Returns of the average amount of Bank Notes in Circulation and of Specie in Reserve in Hongkong, during the month ended 31st Jan. 1923, as certified by the Managers of the respective Banks:—

Banks.	Average Amount.	Specie in Reserve.
Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China	\$11,710,027	\$ 6,750,000
Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation	39,565,103	26,000,000
Mercantile Bank of India, Limited	1,416,510	650,000
Total	\$52,692,330	\$22,400,000

* Sterling Securities deposited with the Crown Agents valued at \$2525,000.
† Securities with the Crown Agents and Straits Government £1,800,000.
‡ Securities with the Crown Agents \$150,000.

that there was obviously an enormous field in China for their services. He was also interested to see that one of the young ladies had joined the Engineering Faculty and he hoped that one day they would hear of her as a consulting engineer in China—(Applause).

His Excellency made a humorous allusion to the establishment of a hotel to which the Bishop had referred and suggested that, for the present at any rate, the lady students should be left in the care of St. Stephen's. In conclusion he said attention had been called in the report to one of the greatest difficulties in school life in the East, a difficulty of which the Director of Education was fully conscious—the impossibility of keeping a regular staff. St. Stephen's afforded a striking example of that during the past year and he felt the school was to be congratulated most heartily on the success attained despite the continual changes. He hoped that the present year would be equally successful and that when he visited the College next it would be in the new building—(Applause).

His Excellency then presented the following awards:—
Matriculations: Chan Ying, Tso Shuk Kow, Tang Tin Chin, and Ng Sui Ha.
Senior Locals: On Chan Kwai, Leung Ching Ha, Lai Keng Fong, Maggie Cheung, and Alice Tang.
The winners this year of the shield presented by Miss Lucy Ho Fook, and Mrs. Lo Cheung Shiu, for the pupils obtaining the largest number of marks in the Junior and Senior Locals were Lily Cheung in the Seniors, and Alice Tang in the Juniors. His Excellency presented each of them with a silver cup to commemorate the achievement.

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LAST MONTH'S DOINGS:

COLONY'S VARIED TALE.

JANUARY.

Police "Xmas-tree-party" and children's sports at Happy Valley. The law firms of Hastings and Hastings, and Denny and Bowley amalgamate under the firm name of Messrs. Hastings and Hastings, Denny and Bowley.

The firm name of Messrs. Deacon, Looker, Deacon and Harston, solicitors, is changed to Messrs. Deacon, Harston and Shenton.

Hon. Mr. E. R. Hallifax, Secretary for Chinese Affairs receives the C.R.E. in New Year honours.

Charity football match at Sooi-Lun-wo Valley. Army beats Navy by one goal to nil.

International bowls match at Kowloon Bowling Green Club. Scotland beats England by 141-109.

Kowloon Cricket Club's children's New Year treat and sports meeting.

Triangular cricket tournament match on H.K.C.C. grounds. Club defeats N.C.C. by five wickets.

Mr. J. G. W. Hooper, O.B.E., of H.M.S. "Hawkins" was killed in a motor smash at Causeway Bay, when his car—No. 118—ran into a tram-standard as it was being overtaken by car No. 46 at a sharp bend.

Chu Kam and Li Shing-chuen hanged in Victoria Jail for the murder of Detective Sergeant Sin Chuen when evading arrest after the sensational armed robbery in Wing Wo Street.

Harrison's Circus absence season at Kowloon after an absence of four years.

Mr. H. M. H. Nomazee purchases Prince's Building for \$2,750,000.

Mr. J. R. Wood as Coroner and a jury composed of Messrs. H. Drew, L. G. Scott and H. Greenwood, award sentence of imprisonment for life for the death of John G. W. Hooper, O.B.E.

Death of Mr. James D. O'Sullivan of the China Sugar Refinery, well-known member of Portuguese community.

H.B. Senhor Rodrigo Rodrigues, new Governor of Macao arrives from Europe by the "Alanta Maru," accompanied by Mrs. Rodrigues and their two daughters.

The steamer-lantern "Kingsang" plows between Hongkong and Shikhi, is captured by pirate launch at Lamamoon and towed to Whang-moon. A Chinese motor patrol boat engaged the pirates and the "Kingsang" escaped in the confusion of the fighting.

Services singles and foursomes golf match at Fanning. Army beats Navy by 243-117.

Annual ball of St. George's Society at City Hall.

Extraordinary meeting of the Chinese General Chamber of Commerce discusses Government's decision to put into operation the new Mui Tsai Bill, and decides against it.

Wedding at Registry Office of Mr. N. J. Vessoua, proprietor of Messrs. Ramsay & Co., and manager of Messrs. P. P. Tait & Co., and Miss Minnie Katherine Doodha, daughter of Mr. N. B. Doodha, Postal Commissioner of Nanning.

Mr. A. Canabal held up by three armed highwaymen in Conduit Road in broad daylight, is stabbed in the wrist during struggle, and robbed of wrist watch and money.

Director of new Board of Tsin Wah Hospital, Mr. Wong Ping-sun, accompanied by P. & O. is elected Chairman and Messrs. Chan Deen-sun and Au Hie-chuen, Vice-Chairmen.

Meeting of Kaijongs called by the new Board of Directors of the Tsin Wah Hospital discusses the new Mui Tsai Bill, and declares in favour of it.

Fatal landslide at Morrison Gap Road. Earth cools, and his wife are killed while working on the Morrison Hill cutting.

A public utility company organized by Mr. A. H. Rowe, General Manager of the United Motor Car Co., announces plans to start a taxi service in Hongkong and Kowloon in June.

Chinese causes sensation at the Secretariat for Chinese Affairs by attacking his concubine with a chopper while couple are waiting to settle some domestic differences. The woman is taken to hospital badly slashed about the body, and the man is under arrest.

Tobacco workers of the Nanyang Tobacco Co., demand increase in wages.

Coroner's Jury returns verdict of manslaughter against drivers of motor-cars No. 118 and No. 46 in connection with the accident which caused the death of Lieut. Comdr. G. W. Hooper, O.B.E.

The Japanese Training Squadron under the command of Vice-Admiral N. Taniguchi, and consisting of the H.T.M.S. "Izumi" (Flagship), "Iwato," and "Asama," arrive in port from Singapore. Mr. S. Take-hashi (Japanese Consul-General) gives dinner at Hongkong Hotel in honour of Admiral Taniguchi.

"Hongkong" Railway Co., inaugurates service round Happy Valley.

Sub-Lieutenant O. McNab Wilson, M.C., of the Hongkong Police makes remarkable score of

191 out of possible 200 at the annual firing test of the Force.

Yunnan and Kwangsi troops, in favour of Dr. Sun Yat-sen, are reported to be rapidly advancing on Canton.

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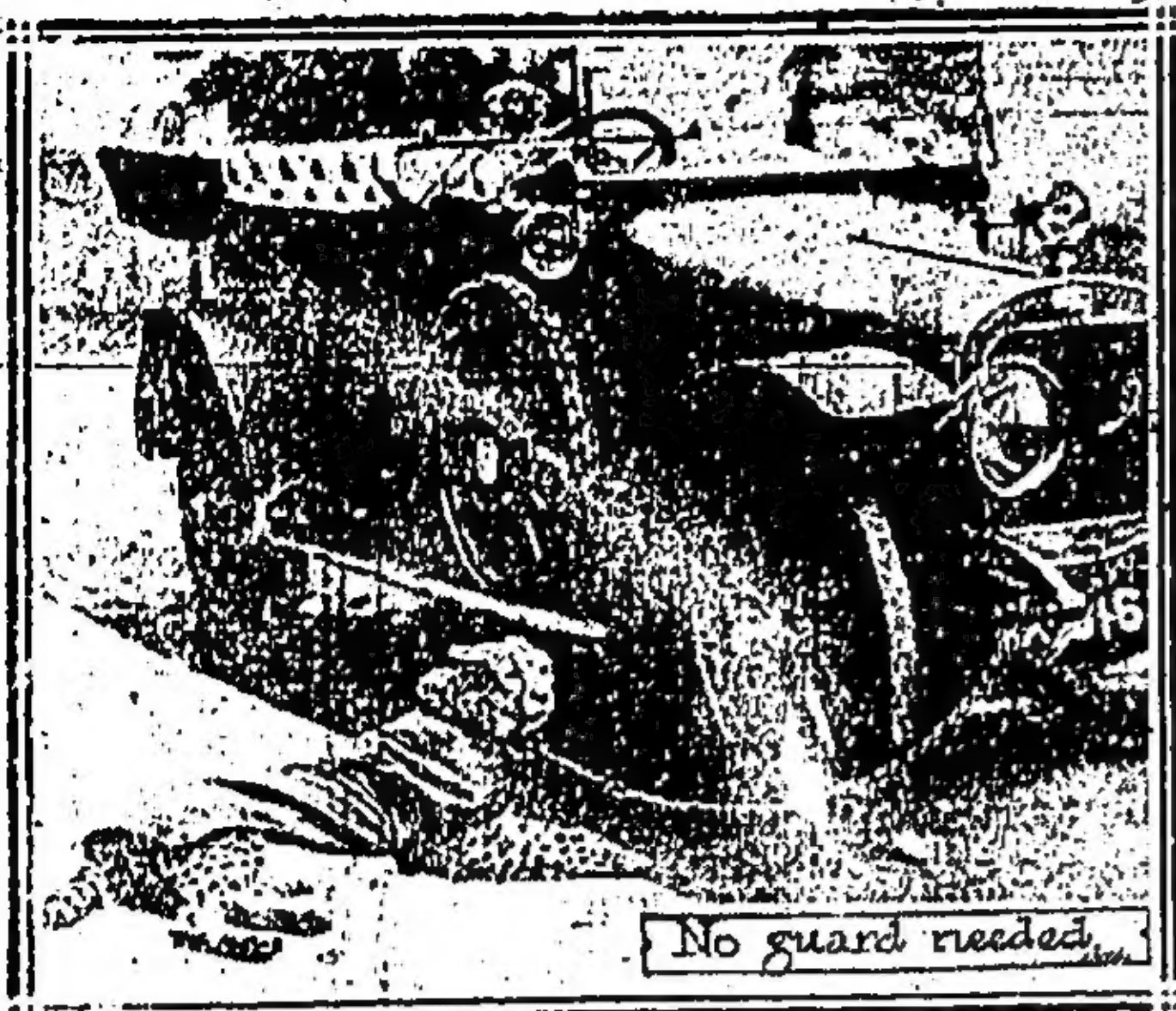
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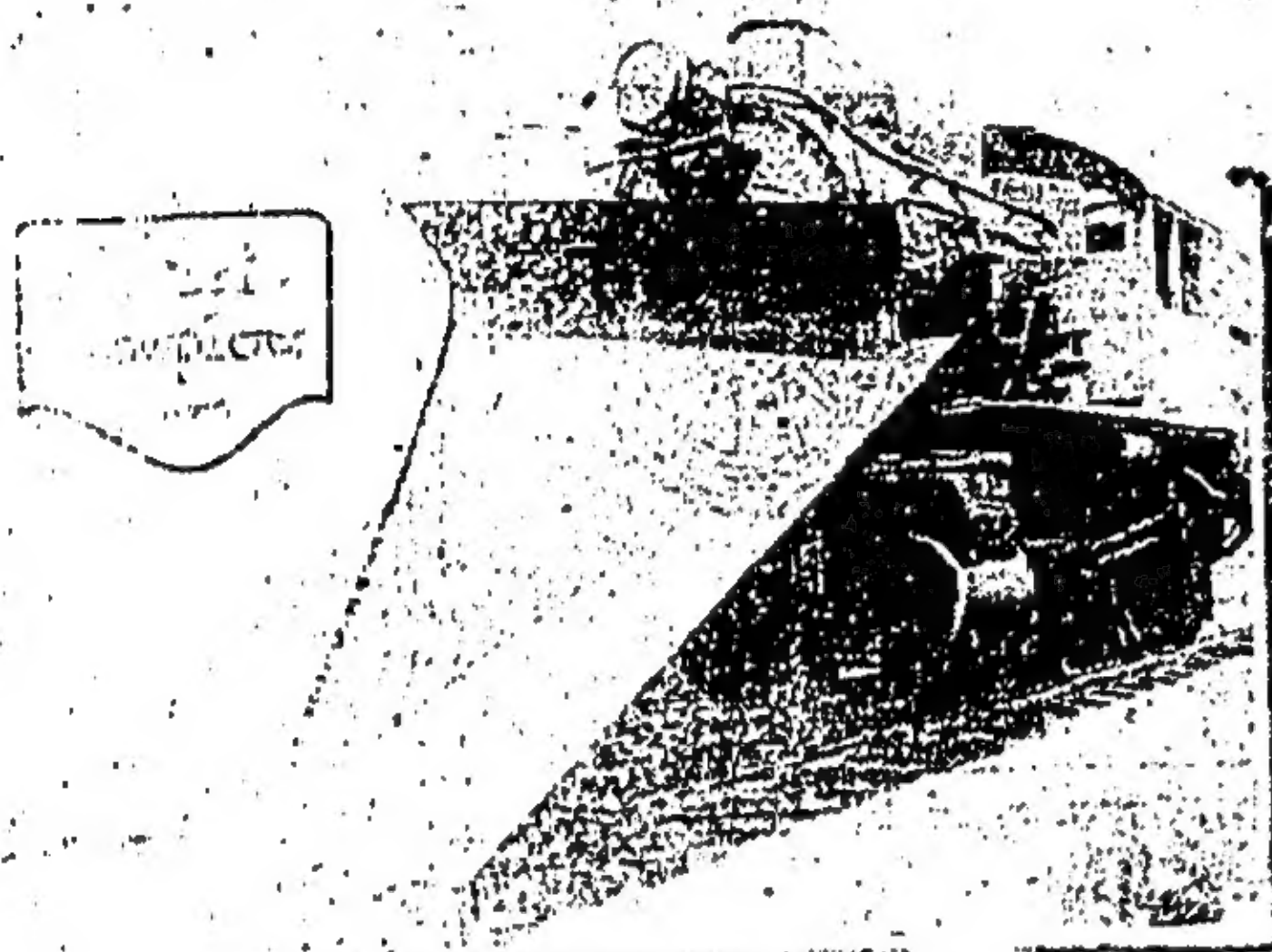
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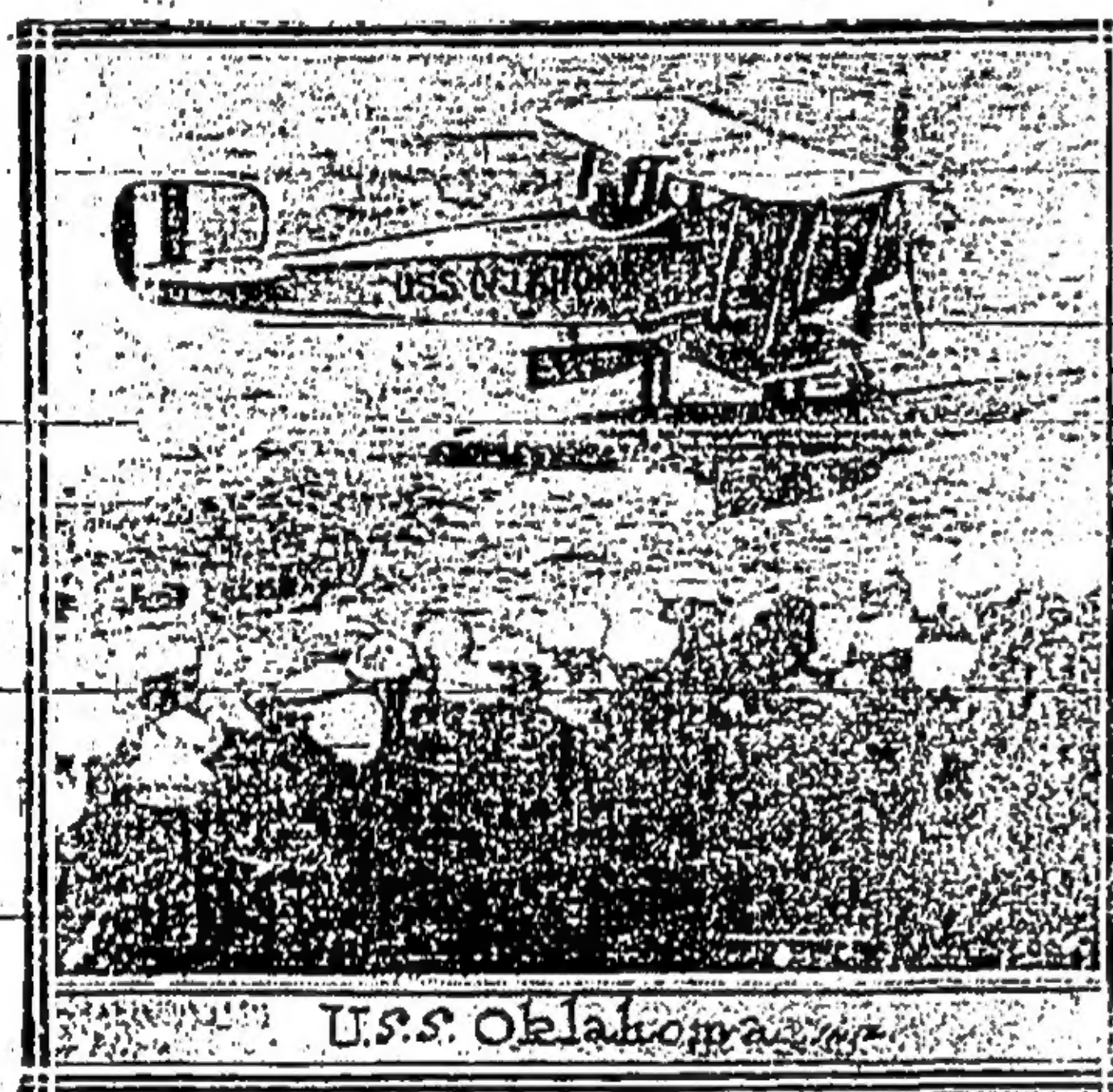
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